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**Sent:** Tue 12/1/2015 2:36:09 PM  
**Subject:** Re: comment letter on the preliminary application

Hi Andrea,

I am researching past mining projects in the area and working on getting language together. Scott and I have a call with the regional office today. Do you have a time you're looking at to set up a call with Scott and Wendy?

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On Mon, Nov 30, 2015 at 5:48 PM, Schaller, Andrea <[schaller.andrea@epa.gov](mailto:schaller.andrea@epa.gov)> wrote:

Marissa,

Hope you had a great Thanksgiving. Just wondered how things were coming along with you. We are working with our NEPA folks and getting some language vetted with our headquarters.

Maybe we can set up a call up with Scott and Wendy to discuss.

Andrea

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Andrea,

I did discuss this with Scott last Friday. We do want to move forward with the joint letter, and will focus our comments on federal t/e species, state species, discussion of why the area meets the ARNI standard, and mitigation (past failures in the area and inadequacy of proposed mitigation). At least that's what I can think of without having my notes in front of me.

The Service and the Corps have an MOA in place for the elevation process. Basically we (Field Office level) will include the the elevation language that was in our previous letter notifying the Corps of our intent to elevate - this is done during the comment period. Then our Regional Director will submit a letter within 25 days after the close of the comment period detailing why the impacts to the ARNI are substantial and unacceptable, and why the permit should be modified, conditioned or denied.

I hope this information helps. I'm still reading up on all this and going through old projects that we have elevated to become more familiar with this process. Once I'm back in the office next week I will start drafting our comments.

Thanks,

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On Mon, Nov 16, 2015 at 4:48 PM, Schaller, Andrea <[schaller.andrea@epa.gov](mailto:schaller.andrea@epa.gov)> wrote:

Marissa,

Just wondered if you have gotten and feedback/direction from Scott on a joint letter.

Would like to confirm what topics you would like to include in the joint letter and any language that USFSW would like to include in a joint letter as well as what level of signature USFWS is aiming for.

I am in training all week, but checking emails.

Just quick who is who on the project, KerryAnn Weaver is the co-project manager from our Wetlands section, Marco is also in our Wetlands section. Elizabeth is our NEPA rep. Have also requested an attorney, should have that name soon.

Next week, I am in Monday then out for the holiday.

Andrea

**From:** Reed, Marissa [mailto:[marissa\\_reed@fws.gov](mailto:marissa_reed@fws.gov)]  
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Thanks, Andrea. Just to let you know, Scott is on annual leave today and tomorrow so I won't be able to discuss Seven Hills with him until Thursday. I'll update you afterward.

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